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In Re Application of:

GRANOFF, et al.

Serial No.: 09/701,453

Filing Date: April 16, 2001

Title:

COMBINED MENINGITIDIS B/C VACCINES

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is an amendment in the above patent application in response to the Office Action of March 20, 2003.

- XApplicants request an extension of time for 3 months from June 20. 2003 to September 20, 2003. Enclosed is a check to cover the \$930 fee.
- No additional fee is required.
- X Also enclosed: Formal Drawings and Abstract of the Disclosure.

No. of Claims After			Most Claims		Extra				
Amendment			Previously Paid	Claims			Additional Fee		
A. Total Claims	24	-	20	=	4	х	\$18	=	\$72
B. Ind. Claims	2	_	3	=	*	х	\$84	=	
C. If amended to contain multiple dependent claims, add 280 \$280							=	\$280	
D. Total Amendment Fee (Total of A, B & C)							=		
E. If small entity, 50% reduction of Total Amendment Fee (50% of D)							=		
F. Total Amendment Fee (D minus E)							=	\$352	

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<u>X</u>	A check for \$1282.00 to cover the extension of time fee and extra
	claims fee is attached.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 which may be required by this paper, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 18-1648.

Respectfully submitted,

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